

FRENCH AIRSHIP SINKS AUSTRIAN SUB.— GERMAN U-BOATS TAKE HEAVY TOLL

Rome.—French aviator bombarded and sunk Austrian submarine U-11 in Adriatic. This is second time in naval history submarine has been sunk by aeroplane. German war office announced few days ago German aeroplane sank Russian submarine.

Amsterdam.—German Zeppelin exploded while leaving shed in Brussels Wednesday; totally destroyed. Number of casualties unknown.

London.—German U boats during night made biggest haul since torpedoing of Lusitania. Sent to bottom British steamer Caucasian and liner Inglemoor, whose combined tonnage exceeded that of Leyland liner Armenian. British steamer Welsbury and schooner L. C. Tower other submarine victims.

Copenhagen. — Large number of ships, including many Swedish vessels sunk during bombardment of Russian port of Windau by German squadron.

Paris.—Germans are counter attacking desperately along whole front from Arras north to Ypres. Thousands of heavy explosive shells hurled against the English trenches in last 24 hours.

Constantinople, June 30, via Berlin. —Despite all efforts of allies to create impression that desperate situation exists here Constantinople is leading an absolutely normal life.

While allied fleet and land forces pound away at Dardanelles and Russian fleet occasionally shells Bosphorus forts, 20 miles away, goodly part of population of Constantinople gathers every afternoon in municipal gardens of Les Petite Champs or Cafe a la Turque, takes tea and listens to the magnificent orchestra, exactly as in times of peace.

Athens.—Allies opened fierce assault upon Turkish positions before Krithia Wednesday morning. Eight warships, led by superdreadnought

Queen Elizabeth, pounding Turkish forts with greatest crash of metal since attack upon Fort Kilid Bahr more than 3 months ago. Unconfirmed reports that Krithia had fallen.

Mytilene dispatches reported losses on both sides in last week of fighting at Dardanelles to be heaviest of Gallipoli campaign. Allied expeditionary forces are reported to have lost at least 10,000 in killed, wounded and missing. Turkish casualties believed to have been much heavier.

All dispatches received here agreed that struggle being waged around Krithia is greatest land battle waged at Dardanelles since expeditionary forces were put ashore. Gen. Hamilton has concentrated his armies north of Sedd-ul-Bahr and is sweeping Turks back along peninsula by successive, short rushes.

Each charge is preceded by terrific bombardment of Turkish trenches by Anglo-French battleships standing inside strait and along shore of gulf of Saros. Trench fighting is of most desperate character.

Rome.—Italy has informed triple entente powers that she looks with disfavor on occupation of Albanian territory by Montenegrin forces. Learned today that Italian government lodged protest with powers against occupation of Albanian metropolis of Scutari by Montenegrin troops.

In reply the triple entente assured Italian foreign office that question of Scutari and Albania would be definitely solved at end of war.

Nish.—Serbian forces invaded Austria, capturing village of Micharska, 40 miles west of Belgrade. 185 prisoners.

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Cincinnati.—It took 3 minutes to turn over to Arthur. Espy, new United States sub-treasurer, \$30,000,000.